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# ORDER OF PROCESSION

Mace Bearer  
*Andrew M. Welki, Ph.D.*

Chief Marshal  
*Patrick H. Rombalski, Ed.D.*

Candidates for Degrees in the  
College of Arts and Sciences  
Boler School of Business  
Graduate School

Alumni Marshal  
*Peter R. Bernardo, M.S.*

Alumni of the University  
1930 to 1956

Faculty Marshal  
*Ernest M. De Zolt, Ph.D.*

Members of the Faculty  
and  
Administrators of the University

Marshal  
*Sherri A. Crahen, Ph.D.*

Recipients of Faculty and Alumni Awards for 2006

The Vice Presidents  
and  
The Academic Deans of the University

The Board of Directors

Honorary Degree Recipients

The Chairperson of the Board of Directors

The Commencement Speaker

The President of the University



## ORDER OF EXERCISES

Master of Ceremonies  
David M. La Guardia, Ph.D.  
*Academic Vice President of the University*

### PROCESSIONAL

#### AMERICA, THE BEAUTIFUL

*Led by members of the University Chapel Choir  
Director, Cynthia Caporella, Ph.D.*

O beautiful for spacious skies,  
For amber waves of grain,  
For purple mountain majesties  
Above the fruited plain!  
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,  
And crown thy good with brotherhood  
From sea to shining sea.

O beautiful for patriot dream  
That sees beyond the years  
Thine alabaster cities gleam  
Undimmed by human tears!  
America! America! God shed His grace on thee,  
And crown thy good with brotherhood  
From sea to shining sea.

### INVOCATION

Rev. Thomas L. Schubeck, S.J., Ph.D.  
*Professor of Religious Studies*

### GREETINGS AND PRESENTATION OF THE SPEAKER

Rev. Robert L. Niehoff, S.J., Ph.D.  
*President of the University*

### ADDRESS TO THE GRADUATES

Sister Mary Peter Traviss, O.P., Ph.D.  
*President, Queen of the Holy Rosary College, Mission San Jose, California  
and Professor Emerita, University of San Francisco*

### ADDRESS FOR THE CLASS OF 2006

In honor of the late Rev. William J. Millor, S.J. who served the university in a variety of posts over 28 years, the officers of the Senior Class each year designate a member of the graduating class to make a presentation at the annual commencement. The speaker selected for today's ceremony is:

Cyril Nicholas Pinchak

**CONFERRING OF DEGREES  
AND PRESENTATION OF AWARDS**

Rev. Robert L. Niehoff, S.J.

**HONORARY DEGREES**

*Doctor of Human Service*  
Sr. Mary Peter Traviss, O.P

*Presented by:*  
Kathleen Manning, Ph.D.  
*Associate Professor and Chair*  
*Education and Allied Studies*

*Without the Vision, the People perish.*

Proverbs

Today you pause with us on the journey  
That has taken you around the world,  
From Europe to Mexico, from Asia to Australia,  
From Africa to the Americas,  
From human heart to human heart,  
Teaching others to teach as Jesus did,  
Teaching others to love the Lord  
With all their hearts, all their souls,  
With all their minds. By serving them  
You have served us. By serving the poor  
You have served the Lord.

*Write down the vision clearly upon the tablets,*  
*Said the prophet Habakkuk, for the vision*  
*Still has its time, presses to fulfillment*  
*And will not disappoint.*  
And your courageous vision  
Of a world transformed by love  
Still has its time, still presses on,  
And will live in the thousands  
Of teachers you have taught  
To love their neighbors as themselves.

Well done, good and faithful servant.  
As you leave us today  
To continue your long journey, we too  
Have been transformed,  
Touched by the fire of your vision.

John Carroll University, honored  
To honor you, confers upon you  
The degree of Doctor of Human Service,  
*Honoris causa.*

*Doctor of Sacred Theology*  
His Eminence  
William Cardinal Levada

*Honorary Degree to be conferred*  
*May 21, 2006,*  
*will be accepted April 25, 2007*

Who could have dreamed it then,  
When you were a boy full of dreams  
On the loud streets of Long Beach,  
Or a young priest serving in the high schools  
Of Los Angeles, the parishes of Santa Monica,  
The air perfumed with orange blossoms  
And ocean surf and cooking tortillas,

That the streets would lead you so far,  
Farther than any road you could dream of:  
To be named bishop  
Of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles,  
And then Archbishop of Portland,  
Where you spoke out so strongly for the immigrants,  
And warned us all that the right to die  
May become a duty to die,

And farther, to become editor  
Of the Catechism of the Catholic Church,  
And farther still, to be named Prefect of the Congregation  
For the Doctrine of Faith, the road leading at last  
To the College of Cardinals, a journey  
So long and marvelous that the streets of Long Beach,  
And the scent of sea surf and tortillas and orange blossoms  
Are ancient memories as you walk  
The crowded streets of Rome.

You are a young man no longer, but chief defender  
Of the Roman Catholic Church,  
Second only to the Holy Father,

And yet, despite your power,  
You've stayed humble  
And kept your sense of humor;  
Your greatest fear, when the Pope  
Conferred the red biretta, was making sure  
You kept your hat on straight.

"Go to it," was Pope Benedict's  
Only advice as he welcomed you  
To your new job.  
And we will follow as you go.

John Carroll University, honored  
To honor you, confers upon you  
The degree of Doctor of Sacred Theology,  
*Honoris causa.*



**DEGREES IN COURSE**  
**COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES**

*Candidates will be presented by*  
Linda Eisenmann, Ph.D.  
*Dean*

*Bachelor of Arts in Classics*

Alex T. Bisson  
*magna cum laude*

◦ Patrick Gavin O'Connor

*Bachelor of Arts*

Richard Elias Absey	Julie Ann Beran
*◊ Patrick Jacob Ackerman	<i>cum laude</i>
* Elizabeth Alice Ahrens	Andrew Elio Berardinelli
Allison Jean Alexy	◦ Meghan Elizabeth Betz
Amy Ann Allega	Ashley Diane Bittel
† Alia Munir Almashni	§ Meagan Marie Bittman
<i>cum laude</i>	Carrie Grace Bizga
Patrick David Althof	<i>magna cum laude</i>
◦ Sara Iris Alvarado	Diana Nicole Black
Matias Nicolas Amoroso	Daphne Jane Blader
Colleen Morgan Andrassy	† Emily L. Boal
Thea Marie Angeloni	<i>cum laude</i>
Derek Scott Ankney	Vincent Michael Bonacci
◦ Cristina Marie Antonucci	† Fadi Georges Boumitri
Orville Arthur Antram IV	<i>cum laude</i>
Brian Thomas Aubry	Tara Gabrielle Bowen
Evelina Bagdasaryan	Brittany Ann Brasseur
Megan Lindsay Ball	§ Melissa Marie Breeding
§ Connie Lynn Balzano	§ John Edward Brennock
Meghan Marie Banks	Kaitlin Ann Brzoska
*◊ Brandie J. Barczak	<i>magna cum laude</i>
Christian Clark Barilla	Brittany Rae Buerkle
Kelsey M. Barley	Kathleen Anne Bundy
Nicholas James Bartolotta	† Tracy Ann Butler
<i>magna cum laude</i>	<i>cum laude</i>
Kassandra Grace Bass	Shaniqua LeStarr Caffee
Steven Christopher Beers	Carolyn Suzanne Cahill
<i>cum laude</i>	Nicholas P. Caley
Jacob William Beiting	Richard Daniel Calhoun
Megan Nancy Benander	Nicole Michelle Camiola
Steven Lewis Bennett, Jr.	Meghan Elizabeth Campbell

† Alpha Sigma Nu: The National Jesuit Honor Society

\* In Absentia

◊ Graduated August 31, 2005

§ Graduated January 15, 2006

◦ Scheduled to Complete Degree Requirements August 31, 2006



Karen Elizabeth Cantrell  
 Phillip Edward Carey  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Lacy Ann Caric  
 Milko Cecez  
     *magna cum laude*  
 † Kristin Kay Chaffee  
     *magna cum laude*  
 \*§ Edward E. Chapman  
 Christen Elizabeth Childs  
 § Monica Lynn Chukayne  
 Marla Therese Ciccone  
 Mary Jo Cichanski  
 ° Timothy William Clary  
 Molly Kristine Clauss  
 § Lynn Marie Cochrane  
 Melissa Marie Coleman  
 Christopher James Condit  
     *cum laude*  
 Megan Lee Conley  
 John Thomas Costello  
 Dan Robertson Crail  
 Megan Ann Curry  
 Mary Colleen Curtis  
     *cum laude*  
 ° Georgette Christine Daher  
 Lindsey Leigh D'Amico  
 Bryn Taylor Davies  
 § Jill Marie Debevits  
 †§ Leonardo Antonio DeGirolamo  
     *cum laude*  
 Lauren Kathleen Delmore  
 Sarah Jean Denney  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Michelle Christine Denton  
     *cum laude*  
 Palmer Alan DePetro  
 Stephen Matthew Detzel  
 § James Scott DiLella  
 Daniel James Dittrich  
 Amy Jo Dixon  
 Grace Mary Doberdruk  
     *magna cum laude*  
 ° Christopher James Dolar  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Dana Marie Dombrowski  
 ° Brian Joseph Dougherty  
 † Kevin Michael Draper  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Amanda Caitlin Duca  
     *cum laude*  
 Brian P. Dunn  
 Daniel J. Dunn  
 Timothy J. Dunn II  
 Scott Nicholas Duryea

LaToya Kera Eff  
 Amy Marie Esser  
 Colleen Marie Faix  
 Anthony Guistino Fanelli  
 ° John Michael Farrell  
 ° John Patrick Ferron, Jr.  
 Ashley Marie Anne Fink  
 Richard Joseph Folkman  
 † Tasha Lynne Forchione  
     *cum laude*  
 Nelson Foster  
 Anthony Alberto Frabotta  
 Carmelo Franchina  
 Jennifer Lynne Fullmer  
 ° Kaitlin Fitzgerald Gallagher  
 § Meghan Elizabeth Gallagher  
 ° Joseph Ralph Gaudio  
     *cum laude*  
 ° Gregory Dane Gavlak  
 Matthew Alan Gayetsky  
     *cum laude*  
 Katherine Elizabeth Gentile  
 Rebecca Anne Gilewicz  
 Tricia Ann Graham  
 Brian Frank Greco  
 †° Darcy Hamilton Green  
     *summa cum laude*  
 \* Scott Dominic Greenberg  
 Anthony Michael Grzincic  
 Zachary David Hall  
 Hamed M. Hamad  
     *cum laude*  
 Michael David Hamilton  
 † Karen Leigh Harmeyer  
     *magna cum laude*  
 ° Derek James Hawranko  
 Elizabeth Suzanne Haynes  
 † Patrick James Healy  
     *cum laude*  
 Annamae Ruth Heiman  
 Justin Michael Heinrich  
 Beth Ann Marie Helminiak  
 ° Richard John Hemme  
     *cum laude*  
 § Kimberly Marie Hetzel  
 † Jessica Elizabeth Hicks  
     *cum laude*  
 ° Gregory Walker Hoener  
     *cum laude*  
 †° Bradley Joseph Holko  
 Kristen Marie Holy  
     *cum laude*  
 Melanie Marie Hoppert  
 Kristi Lynn Hosko  
     *magna cum laude*

Amy Elizabeth Howley  
 Caitlin Ginley Hubach  
 ° Kathleen Ann Hudec  
 ° Meredith Elizabeth Hurst  
 Daniel Edward Inks II  
 \*§ Lindsay Elizabeth Intihar  
     *cum laude*  
 Ryan Jeffrey Jacin  
     *cum laude*  
 Jessica Beth Jennings  
 Jeffrey Michael Jerome  
     *cum laude*  
 Carolyn Anna Jeske  
 Elizabeth Teresa Jimenez  
 Kelly Lynn Johnson  
     *summa cum laude*  
 Kevin Matthew Johnstone  
 † Jessica Leigh Kaltenbach  
     *cum laude*  
 Kestutis Paul Kalvaitis  
 \*◇ Amanda Lynn Karel  
 † Steven James Karns  
     *cum laude*  
 † Shea Lynn Keats  
     *cum laude*  
 Shannon Tracey Kelley  
 Jessica Leigh Kerns  
 Abaigeal Marie Kerr  
 § Keri Michael Kichurchak  
 † Megan Lee King  
     *summa cum laude*  
 † Nicholas Ryan Kleinhenz  
     *cum laude*  
 † Julie Ann Klemens  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Marisa Leigh Kolp  
 ° Colleen Marie Kookoothe  
 \* Elaine Michelle Korud  
 Daina Marie Kovalcheck  
     *magna cum laude*  
 David Matthew Krueger  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Bridget Elizabeth Kubacki  
 Molly Elizabeth Kudley  
     *cum laude*  
 \*◇ Victoria Lynn La Maida  
 § Michael B. Larson  
 Pamela Ann Lashbrook  
 Christina Marie Lasko  
     *magna cum laude*  
 \*§ Carla Jean Lauer  
 † Kelly Elizabeth Lavelle  
     *cum laude*  
 Katherine A. Leckenby

Kristen Marie LoGrasso  
 Megan Marie Mahaffey  
 Megan Elizabeth Maharidge  
     *magna cum laude*  
 ° Timothy Edward Mahoney  
 † Amanda Katherine Majewski  
     *cum laude*  
 Elizabeth Christine Malacki  
 \*§ Randy Gerard Malames  
 Randi Lynn Marcelewski  
 Kristina Katherine Markovic  
 § Michaela Marie Marshall  
 Todd Andrew Mathias  
 Molly Dugan McBride  
 § Maura Elizabeth McCafferty  
     *cum laude*  
 Garrett Clair McCandless  
 Brooke Reneé McCann  
 Tyger Janine McClendon  
 † Caitlin Adair McGrath  
     *cum laude*  
 Steven Andrew McIntosh  
 Abigail Lynn McJury  
 †° Brittany Anne McLane  
     *magna cum laude*  
 Colin G. Meeker  
 Courtney Marie Meyer  
 Lisa Marie Miano  
 \* Peter Paul Mihalek  
 Gabriella Claudia Mileti  
 Shaunna Sherrie Miller  
 Tana Marie Minneti  
 ° Lindsay Marie Misencik  
 Kerry Jean Moorman  
 \*§ Christine Erin Moran  
 Lisa Marie Muniz  
 Roberta Joy Muoio  
 Kimberly Helen Murphy  
 ° Gene David Natale, Jr.  
 Connor Patrick Nathanson  
 Jillian Louise Neimeister  
 † Christine Lee Newman  
     *summa cum laude*  
 James Michael Novak  
     *cum laude*  
 Michael Joseph Nunney  
 ° Brigid Burke O'Brien  
 Kaitlin Marie O'Brien  
 † Lea Ruth Ogard  
     *cum laude*  
 Christina Lynn Ogorek  
 Rory Leddy O'Neil  
 † Jacob Stefan Oresick  
     *cum laude*



- Jennifer Louise Overberger  
Randy Pace  
◦ Kristen Eileen Paluf  
Stacey Marie Papp  
† Kristin Leigh Parker  
*magna cum laude*  
§ Bradley Michael Pavella  
*cum laude*  
◦ Temeka Nicole Payton  
Holly Ann Peterson  
† Christopher A. Petitti  
*summa cum laude*  
Kimberly Anne Petro  
† Douglas Adam Phillips  
*summa cum laude*  
† Cyril Nicholas Pinchak  
*cum laude*  
Candice Ann Piraino  
Kristin Marie Platz  
*cum laude*  
Maria Ivanka Ljudmila Plecnik  
*summa cum laude*  
Michael Andrew Pogachar  
*cum laude*  
Julie Ann Poling  
*magna cum laude*  
Angelica Pozantidis  
§ Jennifer Elaine Prince  
*cum laude*  
Gina Marie Puppo  
Christine Radomski  
Nicolette Lauren Rafferty  
Justin Edward Ragor  
Patrick Joseph Range  
Angela Marie Rapchak  
◦ Dieken Patrick Reed  
Julie Elizabeth Rees  
*cum laude*  
Maggie Irene Regan  
*cum laude*  
Kristen Elizabeth Reichard  
*cum laude*  
Brandon Nicholas Rericha  
*cum laude*  
◦\* Daniel Wessler Riordan  
† Nicole Marie Rishel  
*magna cum laude*  
\*◇ Eddie Phillip Ritter  
Alyssa Catherine Roberts  
*magna cum laude*  
Lindsey Ann Robinson  
Jonathan James Rosati  
Sarah Elizabeth Ruane  
Julianne Daltorio Russell
- Katherine Rose Ryan  
Michael Louis Santangelo  
*magna cum laude*  
Kathleen Anne Saunier  
Michael Bradley Scanlan  
Patricia Elizabeth Scanlon  
Phillip John Schneeberger  
Kelly Elaine Schuller  
† Lisa Anne Schwan  
*magna cum laude*  
Katherine Lee Seavers  
Meghan Marie Seedhouse  
Megan Elizabeth Seibert  
*magna cum laude*  
◦ William Curtis Shetler  
Mary Ann Siriani  
*cum laude*  
◦ Michael David Sivert  
Christine Marie Smaldone  
Melanie Marie Smith  
Jason John Sobczyk  
† Diana Rose Sokolowski  
*cum laude*  
Dominic James Spinale  
Evan Matthew Stefanko  
Nikol Ismini Stefanos  
Cary Ellen Stevens  
*magna cum laude*  
◦ Elizabeth Ophilia Stewart  
Sara Beatrice Stofcho  
§ Lindsey Marie Stoltz  
◦ David Joseph Stone  
*cum laude*  
◦ Craig Joseph Strauss  
◦ Brent Silas Strouth  
† Jessica Christian Struharik  
*cum laude*  
Terrence Lee Swadener  
Douglas Spencer Sweet  
Katherine Grace Sydlowski  
Lindsay Alexandra Sykes  
Ashley Marie Sylvester  
Nathan Szabo  
Rebecca Anne Taft  
Lisa Marie Tanno  
*magna cum laude*  
Anne Marie Taylor  
Margot Ann Taylor  
◦ Mary Therese Teske  
◦ Markita Cheri Thompson  
§ John Mark Tichar  
Meghan Anne Tighe  
Bobby Lewis Tolliver  
Mary Elizabeth Tonti



Katherine Marie Toth  
 Rachel Margaret Trapani  
 Demetrius S. Travis  
 Sharyn Elaine Turner  
 \*§ Renee Jean Tylicki  
 Ashley Nichole Urquhart  
 Zachary Gerald Valentine  
 Christine Nicole Vicini  
 Danielle Nicole Vigh  
 Vincent Victor Viglucci  
*magna cum laude*  
 Christina Marie Vignale  
 Joseph Robert Wachtel  
*magna cum laude*  
 ° Michael Robert Wade  
 Rebecca Sarah Wagner  
*cum laude*  
 Nelson Michael Wainwright  
*cum laude*  
 Lauren Waldron  
 Cheryl Lynn Walunis  
*cum laude*

Megan Elizabeth Warren  
 Jill Ann Weidlich  
 Megan Kathleen Weiss  
 ° Brice Richard Westhoven  
 Kimberly Garbee White  
*summa cum laude*  
 ° Kristy Ann Whittaker  
 Kelly Ann Wilson  
 Jeremy Edward Wisniewski  
 Courtney Suzanne Wolf  
 \*§ Patricia Therese Wolfe  
*cum laude*  
 Heather Lynn Wood  
*cum laude*  
 Kevin Michael Wood  
*magna cum laude*  
 \* Kevin M. Yanik  
 § Bethany Anne Yarolin  
 Angela Michelle Yingling  
 Lisa Ann Yurcak  
 ° Nicholas McGrath Zagotta  
 Christopher Joseph Zerucha

### *Bachelor of Science*

Gregory Nicholas Adams  
 † Kimberly Lynn Adams  
*cum laude*  
 \*§ Najwa S. Al-Husaini  
*magna cum laude*  
 \* Brian Richard Anderson  
 Marie Angeline Antonyrajah  
 Kristin Anne Arbut  
*cum laude*  
 Christopher Stanley Arko  
 Rima Maryam Asfour  
 \* Owen Kendall Baker  
 Adriano Barile  
 Revenda Bebawi  
 § Marian McCue Bender  
 † Kathleen Marie Benson  
*magna cum laude*  
 Jade Marie Berry  
 Lesley Anne Biel  
 Justin Vittorio Blanche  
*cum laude*  
 Christine Marie Bohn  
 Kristy Lynn Bootes  
 ° Erin Marie Brady  
 Joan Marie Braun  
 Anthony Mathew Capezzuto  
 ° Sean Anthony Cassleman

° Lisa Chan  
*cum laude*  
 § Amber Grace Chapek  
*cum laude*  
 Katie Deean Chapman  
*cum laude*  
 Andrew Joseph Ciccolini  
 \*◇ Natalie Welena Clemmons  
 ° Zachary John Coleman  
*magna cum laude*  
 Matthew John Combi  
*cum laude*  
 Sara Jeanne Conry  
*cum laude*  
 § Christopher Robert Cook  
 † Nina Margaret Dambrosio  
*cum laude*  
 Krista Rebecca DeDad  
*summa cum laude*  
 Lorianne DelSignore  
 † Andrew Edward Dunn  
*magna cum laude*  
 Vincent Robert Farallo  
 § Patrick Joseph Feeley  
 Kevin John Fitzpatrick  
 Margaret Helen Fitzpatrick  
 Douglas Raymond Foster

† Salvatore Joseph Frangiamore  
*cum laude*  
 Dana Lynn Frank  
*magna cum laude*  
 Hallie N. Garofalo  
 William Louis George  
 § Mary Renne Gergs  
 § Halle Elaine Giacomazzo  
 Joseph Michael Gilchrist  
 † Diana Lynn Glaus  
 Ashley Marie Grace  
 ° Brettany Lynn Grey  
 Ashley Anne Growley  
 Kristin Nicole Hall  
 Matthew William Hancak  
 Vanessa B. Haushalter  
 ° Jacqueline Elizabeth Herbert  
 § Alisa Marie Hess  
*cum laude*  
 Nicole Christina Hess  
 Ryan James Higgins  
 Mary Jeanne Hladky  
*magna cum laude*  
 Christopher Michael Hoban  
 Anne Marie Hoffman  
 Stephanie Cecilia Hovan  
 Rita Jacqueline Huffman  
 John Thomas Hurt  
 Amy Lynne Jeffries  
 Melanie Marie Johnson  
 Jeffrey Thomas Johnston  
*cum laude*  
 Nicholas Daniel Kacsandi  
*magna cum laude*  
 James Michael Kaliszewski  
 Robert Joseph Kall  
*magna cum laude*  
 David Christopher Kawalec  
*cum laude*  
 ° Julie Marie Kearney  
 Jacqueline Reneé Kemp  
 Christen Elizabeth Kempton  
 § Frank Michael Kenner  
*magna cum laude*  
 Alexandra Catherine Kern  
 Nicholas Roger Kilian  
 Kevin William Kita  
 John Joseph Koeth  
 Lubna E. Kousa  
 Christopher Michael Kulbago  
 ° Catherine Elizabeth Kunka  
 Mary Carlyle Langmack  
 \*§ Maureen Katherine Lee  
 Christina Maria Albina Leposa

Robert Anthony Liberatore  
*cum laude*  
 Kathryn L. Lloyd  
 Angielique Nicole Lokaj  
 Brigid Kathleen Long  
 ° Andrew Joseph Luciana  
 Jeffrey Carl Lupica  
 Megan Christine Mamolen  
*magna cum laude*  
 Seth Alexander Mangini  
 Allison Therese Mansell  
 Christopher John Maresh  
*magna cum laude*  
 Michael Peter Mayer II  
 † Mallory Jean McClester  
*summa cum laude*  
 Beth Anne McClure  
*summa cum laude*  
 Michael Steven McDermott  
*magna cum laude*  
 Adria Danielle McGill  
*magna cum laude*  
 Cecilia Marie McGinty  
 Michael Thomas McGowan  
*summa cum laude*  
 § Jamie Leigh McLaughlin  
*cum laude*  
 Michelle Mirowski  
 Jonathan Anthony Mis  
 Luke Joseph Moauro  
 Philip G. Moeller  
 ° Mallory Ann Morettin  
 Amy Lyn Mulka  
 Philip Anthony Muscarella  
 Lindsey Marie Narten  
 † William James Navarre III  
*summa cum laude*  
 ° Jacqueline Marie Nowak  
*magna cum laude*  
 Brigid Rose O'Neil  
 Joseph Michael Otonichar  
 Kevin M. Panek  
*cum laude*  
 \* Stephanie Leigh Ann Pérez  
 Jennifer K. Pierscieniewski  
 Natalie Jo Plevelich  
*cum laude*  
 ° Angelica Marie Rhea  
 ° Ariel Marie Rhea  
 Allison Rees Rich  
*magna cum laude*  
 Danielle Jacqueline Royer  
*magna cum laude*  
 Raymond Joseph Sabetto



Jenna Marie Saraniti <i>magna cum laude</i>	† Dimitrios Michael Tsatiris <i>summa cum laude</i>
§ Christine Lynn Schlauch <i>magna cum laude</i>	Mary Beth Valek
Michael Edward Schmidt	Jennifer Lynn Weber
Jessica Marie Sciulli	† Matthew Joseph Weis <i>summa cum laude</i>
§ Julie Marie Shina	Courtney Conway Wells
◦ Renita Evonne Simons	Lyndsey Elizabeth Whittingham
Rosanna Christine Slocum	Sara Patricia Wilson
§ Mallory Kristen Carnahan Smith <i>magna cum laude</i>	Melinda Suzanne Wise <i>cum laude</i>
Angela Christine Smolik	*§ Joshua Ryan Wolf
Lisa Marie Stempak <i>summa cum laude</i>	Caitlin Leigh Wood
† Claire Eileen Sullivan <i>summa cum laude</i>	† Kristina Marie Wood <i>magna cum laude</i>
Cheryl Anne Suszynski	Crystal Noelle Woodside <i>magna cum laude</i>
Alexander Phillip Talarico	Brian Christopher Wren
◦ Megan Elisabeth Theller	Christian Yeasted <i>magna cum laude</i>
Stephanie Bai-Ying Thi <i>cum laude</i>	Ernest Joseph Young III
Jonathan Rega Thomas	Jessica Leigh Zimmerer <i>magna cum laude</i>
Natalie Louise Timm	Mary Elizabeth Zuccaro <i>cum laude</i>
Philip George Traylor	

**JOHN M. AND MARY JO BOLER  
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**

*Candidates will be presented by*

Thomas J. Zlatoper, Ph.D.

*Interim Dean*

*Bachelor of Science in Business Administration*

Maggie Rose Abounader	Andrew Stephen Barnett
§ James Richard Ainscough	Courtney Lynn Baskey
◦ Justin Peter Albert	*§ Timothy James Batkiewicz
Sara A. Altieri <i>cum laude</i>	Kathryn Lauren Beller
*§ Joseph Michael Anguilano <i>cum laude</i>	Ryan C. Bianco
Kristina Maria Antloga	Lucia Anna Biasiotta
Aidan Matthew Arseneault	Adam Michael Bodell <i>cum laude</i>
◦ Michael L. Arthur	Timothy P. Bold
Gregory Thomas Ashe	† Lauren Pauline Bonfich
Rebecca Ashley Atkinson <i>cum laude</i>	Joseph A. Bontempo
Nonna Bagdasaryan	Margaret Mary Boryszak
Rosanne Irene Balchak <i>magna cum laude</i>	William Henry Bradley V
Jenna Christine Barker	Anita Dawn Brahm <i>cum laude</i>
Kevin Ernest Barmann	Daniel Jacinta Brown, Jr.
	Nicole Elizabeth Brown <i>cum laude</i>



- Tamara Ann Bruskevith
- § Jennifer Lynn Budziak
- Christopher A. Buntura
- Nicole Jean Burgund
- Gregory J. Campbell
- Blair Arthur Campomizzi
- Peter Anthony Capozziello
- Laura Christine Carlson
- Shaun T. Castorano
- Kyle Thomas Catinella
- Monica Alexandra Colón
- Bryan Joseph Colosi
- \*§ Kevin Patrick Conway
- Michael S. Cornell
- Angelo Michael Cua
- Maeghan Elizabeth Daley
- Melissa Ann Davner
- Stacey M. DeHoff
- cum laude*
- Frank Stephen DeJulius
- Danielle N. DiCillo
- Brandon Christopher DiGuilio
- cum laude*
- Corey John Dolak
- Jason J. Dragen
- Laura Ann Drozynski
- Frank Anthony Eich IV
- cum laude*
- Eric Michael Endress
- magna cum laude*
- Stephanie Gabriella Engel
- cum laude*
- Julia Eileen Englehart
- summa cum laude*
- Ryan Daniel Fitzgerald
- Katherine Scott Flemming
- Leo Fong
- Samuel David Fries
- Daniel Hunter Frisch
- Neil Andrew Frohnapple
- Brooke Amanda Gall
- Steven Galperin
- Donald Neal Gibson II
- Bethany Ann Glassbrenner
- § James L. Gluss
- Feliks Goldshtein
- Erik James Gorman
- Christina Marie Graff
- Anthony Paul Grego
- Kathleen Anne Griffin
- § Rebecca Lynn Griffin
- Mason S. Hall
- Amber Rose Hanchak
- Mallory Rose Heck
- John Thomas Heil
- David Daniel Helsel
- summa cum laude*
- Robert Matthew Henry
- Andrew James Holodnak
- Sean Michael Hooven
- Jennifer Marie Ina
- \*§ Michael W. Issa
- § Ryan Patrick Joyce
- Jennifer Susanne Kahn
- Nicole Andrea Karlak
- William Thomas Kawalek
- Sarah Anne Kelley
- Katherine L. Kenefick
- § Seán N. Kilbane
- James Lee Koenig
- Leonard T. Koestner
- Nichole Marie Kolarik
- cum laude*
- Andrew Phillip Kollman
- Frank R. Kosec
- Lauren Beth Koster
- Stephen Robert Kotris
- Robert George Kroner III
- Bryan J. Kunsman
- William Patrick Lally
- Michelle Marie Lapp
- †◦ John Anthony LaRoy
- \*§ William Allen Latkovic
- Benjamin Andrew Leathersich
- § Paul Angelo Leonette
- Clifford Alexander Liguori
- \*§ Brandon Michael Linton
- Beatriz Sofia Lopez
- Joshua David Luster
- Matthew J. Lynch
- Bethany Lynn Lyons
- summa cum laude*
- Jessica Ann Lypson
- Karli Anne Lytkowski
- Alexandra Cara Macuga
- Timothy Kyle Madigan
- \* Sergey Malahimov
- Patrick Stephen Mallott
- Gina Marie Marcantonio
- Sean Patrick Martin
- Molly Louise Matesich
- Matthew Paul Matteucci
- Michael Joseph Mazur
- summa cum laude*
- Jocelyn Noelle Mazzoni
- \* Sean Michael McAndrew
- Sean Michael McCabe
- Michael Patrick McCarthy
- Sean Patrick McCullough
- Thomas John McDonald

- Allison Kathleen McDonnell  
 Andrew R. McFeely  
 Molly A. McLaughlin  
 Thomas Stephen McLaughlin, Jr.  
 Michael J. McMahon  
 Colleen Anne McPhie  
 William Edward Michael, Jr.  
 Brian Collins Miller  
 David N. Miller  
 Dejan Mladenovic  
 Elizabeth Jane Morris  
 \*§ John Broock Munro III  
 Matthew Stephen Muzila  
 \* Derek Steven Nameth  
 Randa Melia Nemer  
 Bradley C. Neumeister  
 Ky Dinh Nguyen  
 Brendan Michael O'Donnell  
 Brandon Robert Oing  
 Bernard J. O'Keefe  
*magna cum laude*  
 Analise Adele Ondrejch  
 \*§ Carolyn Natavio Palad  
 ° Vincent J. Palombo  
 Anthony John Panuto II  
 Mackenzie Ann Peters  
 ° Lauren A. Petersen  
 Jordan Christopher Petrella  
 Jenna Marie Polkovitch  
 Lisa Ann Pollard  
 Gina Marie Presta  
 Anthony Price, Jr.  
 Erjona Prifti  
 Daniel J. Pyne  
 Brian Patrick Rabel  
 ° Lauryn Grace Rainaldi  
 Linda Brigit Rankis  
 ° Shamika Denise Reese  
 Regina Marie Reinbolt  
 Aslynn Shay Reisinger  
 § Joshua David Robson  
 ° Kyle Patrick Roggenburk  
 Nathan Donald Romer  
 Brian J. Ross  
 Maurice Patrick Saluan  
 Mariana Samanez  
 Brian Edward Savolskis  
*cum laude*  
 Brian Patrick Scherf  
 Adam Edward Schueler  
 Mark Bradley Sellers  
 Christopher James Shaffer  
*magna cum laude*  
 Christopher J. Shiga  
 Yasmeen Shousher  
 Anna Y. Shrayer  
*cum laude*  
 Christopher F. Sikora  
 Natalie Noel Singer  
 Ebbo F. Skadhauge III  
 \*§ Carl R. Smith  
 \* Shannon Lyneé Smith  
 Janine Marie Solomon  
 Samantha Dailey Soltis  
 Gina M. Spitalieri  
*cum laude*  
 Katie Marie Steinacker  
*magna cum laude*  
 \*§ Dustin M. Stelmak  
 † Kevin Patrick Sullivan  
*cum laude*  
 Christopher Bruce Swartz  
*cum laude*  
 § Timothy Alexander Sylvain  
 Dawn Marie Szabo  
 Loraine M. Tamulonis  
 Allison Marie Tanner  
*cum laude*  
 Erin M. Taylor  
 Anthony J. Termine  
 Amber Ann Thomas  
 ° Ryan Michael Thompson  
 Shannon Nicole Thompson  
*magna cum laude*  
 Anna Tilis  
 \* Cynthia C. Uguru  
 John William van der Oord  
*cum laude*  
 Angela Marie VanScoy  
 Marc Joseph Vertock  
 Michael John Vidmar  
 Stephen Anthony Volchko  
 James Anthony Wallish  
 Brian W. Walsh  
 Kathryn Anne Waltz  
 Austin Michael Wenger  
*magna cum laude*  
 Erin Elizabeth Wersell  
 Bethany A. White  
*cum laude*  
 Melissa A. Witek  
 ° Jessica Leigh Wolff  
 ° Daniel L. Wysmier  
 Jessica Nicole Yovich  
*magna cum laude*  
 †° Joseph D. Yusz  
 Chong Zhang  
 Stephanie Janina Zipay  
*cum laude*  
 Leslie Faye Zumerling



### *Bachelor of Science In Economics*

Danielle Colette Bosley	Kelly A. Gruber
† Eleni E. Champagne	*§ Andrew Tyler Henke
<i>magna cum laude</i>	† Mary Margaret Herout
Nikola Michael Cigic	<i>cum laude</i>
<i>cum laude</i>	David Edward Ledvina
† William J. Costigan	Matthew Raymond Musser
<i>cum laude</i>	Curtis Barger Watkins
Erica Leigh DeFago	<i>magna cum laude</i>
Stephen T. Gloriod	

### *Undergraduate Honors*

To merit the distinction *cum laude*, the Baccalaureate candidate must attain a quality point average of 3.5; *magna cum laude*, 3.7; *summa cum laude*, 3.9. These honors are inscribed on the diploma.

### **HONORS SCHOLARS OF THE UNIVERSITY**

These students are graduates of our Honors Program and can be distinguished by the golden cord they wear.

Kimberly Lynn Adams	Beth Anne McClure
Alex T. Bisson	Michael Thomas McGowan
Emily L. Boal	Brittany Anne McLane
Lauren Pauline Bonfich	Jamie Leigh McLaughlin
Tracy Ann Butler	Bernard J. O'Keefe
Phillip Edward Carey	Douglas Adam Phillips
Katie Deean Chapman	Julie Elizabeth Rees
Nina Margaret Dambrosio	Nicole Marie Rishel
Krista Rebecca DeDad	Danielle Jacqueline Royer
Michelle Christine Denton	Michael Louis Santangelo
Amanda Caitlin Duca	Cary Ellen Stevens
Richard John Hemme	Claire Eileen Sullivan
Shea Lynn Keats	Vincent Victor Vigluicci
Bethany Lynn Lyons	Nelson Michael Wainwright
Megan Christine Mamolen	Matthew Joseph Weis



## GRADUATE SCHOOL

*Candidates will be presented by*

Mary E. Beadle, Ph.D.

*Dean*

### *Master of Arts*

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|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| * Dianne Marie Alaimo        | *§ Joshua Aaron Kopczak               |
| Dennis Michael Arko          | Katie Maureen Kugelman                |
| Nicholas Kenneth Bachofsky   | Miovelle Ann Lister                   |
| Jacalyn Renee Barnett        | ◦ Carrie Marie Love                   |
| ◇ Marie Anne Beaubien        | Richard Brock Lutz                    |
| Kristen Michele Bolton       | * Kathleen Maloney                    |
| †◦ Gerald Lewis Bowers, Jr.  | *◇ Cathleen N. Mansor                 |
| * Melinda Menyawn Boykin     | Charles Merritt McGibony              |
| ◦ Patrick Arthur Boyle       | † Christopher Wilson Alexander Miller |
| * Gregory Robert Bultman     | * Jane Eigner Mintz                   |
| ◇ Richard Anthony Canacci II | ◇ Sandra Marie Mooney                 |
| Lauren Renee Capone          | ◦ Kristin Elise Moore                 |
| Jacquelyn Rose Catanese      | *◇ Nancy Lynn Morris                  |
| Leonard Tumaini Chuwa        | * Lana Renee Myers                    |
| Eva Marie Cirincione         | ◇ Vanetta Neal                        |
| Kerrie Anne Cirino           | Jeffrey Alan Niemczura                |
| * Moira Brigid Clark         | *§ John Patrick Nisky                 |
| ◦ Stephanie Ann Crock        | Jeffrey David Parobechek              |
| *◇ Mary Kathryn deVille      | ◦ Sarah Louise Peirson                |
| Sharisse Renee Edwards       | Kathleen Engle Philipps               |
| ◇ Christine Marie Engler     | ◦ Thomas P. Phillips                  |
| *◇ Todd Richard Farson       | * Kathryn A. Popovich                 |
| James John Fikar             | ◦ Drew Clark Poppleton                |
| *◇ Michelle Lynn Franz       | *§ Elizabeth Pugel                    |
| * Frederick Slade Freer IV   | ◦ Kathryn A. Richards                 |
| * Michael Dizon Gali         | ◦ Christopher J. Rooney               |
| *◇ Jennifer L. Gibbons       | ◦ Brieana Mae Rowles                  |
| ◦ Billie J. Gilliam          | * Angela Marie Sanford                |
| *◇ John Walter Good          | ◇ Cheryl Lynne Scherf                 |
| ◦ Michael David Graskemper   | * Mary Rose Schneider                 |
| ◦ Alan Richard Green         | *◇ Matthew Brian Schultz              |
| * Linda Gruss                | *§ Laura M. Scott                     |
| * Kati Eileen Hanes          | ◦ William Vernon Shutes III           |
| *◇ Joseph Michael Hatgas     | Marcie L. Slusarczyk                  |
| *§ Amore C. Z. Haydu         | Colleen Moira Smith                   |
| ◇ Margaret Mary Hoare        | ◦ Christine Ann Somosi                |
| *◇ William Robert Hodge      | Morgan Tyler Sprosty                  |
| *◇ Adam Alan Holtz           | § Crystal Shavone Starling            |
| ◇ Anetra Howard              | Wayne Scotty Stocker                  |
| ◦ Christina Rene Janevski    | Belynda Yvonne Swanson-Newell         |
| ◦ Monique S. Johnson         | § Joan Tabar                          |
| ◦ Saori Kambara              | Allison Mary Tasker                   |
| Mark Nicholas Kaplafka       | Amber Lynn Vadini                     |
| William Stephan Kavula       | Heather Ann Vicich                    |
| *◇ Anita Marie Kidd          | *§ Timothy Charles Vojta              |
| *§ Mary Bridgett Kilbane     | § Cara L. West-Ambrosio               |

\*◇ Rebecca J. Widener  
 ◇ Thomas Brian Wiemels  
 \* Jacqueline Patricia Williams-Elder  
 \* Timothy William Wintour

\*◇ Pamela A. Wolford  
 \*◇ Jennifer Lynn Zaranko  
 ° Yolanda M. Zeigler-Nizer  
 ° Sarah Margaret Zurbrugg

### *Master of Business Administration*

° Steven Michael Agresta  
 Brian David Ansevin  
 § Andrew George Babic  
 \*§ Lisa Marie Barowski  
 \*◇ Mark Stephen Bednar  
 \* Trevor Christian Bernard  
 ° Zoe L. Berry  
 Robert W. Bober  
 ° Lisa Elizabeth Boccia  
 ° Matthew Penn Brown  
 Courtney Elizabeth Budzick  
 \*§ Joseph Anthony Calabria  
 \*§ Aaron Michael Carino  
 ◇ Michael David Carter  
 Jerry Carmin Cirino  
 \* Christina Marie Cobos  
 Craig Hadley Cohen  
 § David Matthew Collins  
 § Cindy Marie Consiglio  
 Ricardo L. Crumble  
 ° Susan Doran Curtis  
 \*§ John David  
 ° Jacqueline Perry DeCapite  
 \*§ Jason Daniel Dietz  
 Christopher John Dorrance  
 \* Elizabeth Kay Eppich  
 ° Sean Patrick Ganley  
 \*§ Melissa Ann Garten  
 \*§ Gina Gentile  
 § Gregory Paul Ghirardi  
 § Molly Marie Gundlach  
 ° James Vincent Harrison

Julie Lynn Hill  
 \* Michelle Cristen Homa  
 ° Melissa Marie Hoppert  
 \*§ Matthew David Iofredo  
 Justina Marie Johnson  
 Thomas Michael Kerr III  
 ° Amanda Nicole Kresak  
 Sarah Elizabeth Kruth  
 \*§ Margarita Liberman  
 ° Marla Lee Marino  
 \*§ Jason Joseph Mayausky  
 Lisa E. Mazza  
 \*§ Christopher Michael Miklich  
 ° Jeffrey David Nick  
 William Cooney Nordloh  
 \* Eric William Pearson  
 ° Michael David Pusateri  
 ° Elizabeth Anne Riley  
 Susan Marie Roubic  
 \* Gregory James Rudolph  
 \*§ Julie Ann Scholle  
 Kathryn Elizabeth Schultz  
 § Todd Michael Semanco  
 \*§ Mark William Spilker  
 \* Rebecca Ann Story  
 ° David Joseph Talenda  
 § Cheryl Marie Tanko  
 \*◇ Richard Brian Thomas  
 Kenneth Walter Wagner  
 \*§ Brian G. Wirtz  
 \*§ Julia Nicole Zeleznikar  
 \*§ Jennifer Lynn Zirke

### *Master of Education*

Sarah Elizabeth Alicea  
 \*§ Jennifer Louise Arbie  
 \*§ Molly Eileen Barnard  
 \*§ Diana Louise Barnes  
 Kathleen Elizabeth Bliss  
 \* Steven Mark Bruss  
 ° Holly Ann Bugos  
 ° Julie Suzanne Butler  
 \* Stacy Marie Carcelli

Jessica Lynn Chenevey  
 \*§ Melissa Ann Christ  
 ° Marci Bloom Cohen  
 Molly Burke Connaughton  
 \* Cassandra Lee Cook  
 § Mary H. Deitrick  
 ° Christine Anne Dickson  
 Lisa Marie DiFinì  
 \* Annmarie Elizabeth Dirlam



Adam Patrick Dudziak	Jessica Ann Meli
* Jennifer Ruth Eklund	* Renee Michelle Morgan
§ Kristen Adele Fistek	Aaron Kyle Mowery
Geoffrey Todd Friedrich	*◇ Kathleen Marie Murphy
Colleen Brenna Gordon	*◇ Meredith Brooke Neufeld
*§ Amy Grace Grabfelder	*§ Barbara Ann Nicoletti
*◇ Sean Casey Grosz	§ Anneliese Ursula Oti
*◇ Seth Benjamin Guren	§ Dale E. Pagano
Jacquelyn Michelle Hale	Sarah Ann Partyka
Francine B. Hammer	Robert J. Pennington
Tricia L. Hart	◦ Heather Louise Penny
*§ Jenifer Marie Hebda Halliday	Shirah Beth Platt
◦ Nicole Elizabeth Hepp	Alex Martin Popovich
*§ Colleen Ann Hovevar	§ Carrie Bagaria Reilly
Johna Marie Indriolo	*◇ Julie Catherine Rugh
§ Monica Christine Jochum	§ Morgan Jessica Rupp
*◇ Judith Marie Johnston	* Dawn Alane Saringer
Erin Kelly Jones	Michael Vincent Schneeberger
* Karen Elizabeth Kastor	§ Kristin Ann Seaholm
◦ Tara Lynne Keller	*◇ Christine Kathryn Snowden
◦ Charles H. Khachan	§ Terryl Lynn Swejk
§ Mauni E. Khoury	◦ Daniel Christopher Teater
◦ Andrea Elizabeth Kitchen	Kerry Lynn Thomas
*◇ Kirk Koennecke	*§ Kirsten Jean Vaughan
Reneé Michelle LaRue	Bryan Douglas Wamsley
§ Jennifer Ann Lipari	*§ Penny L. Weiss-Flynn
Felix E. Luengo	Megan Fennell Wheeler
§ Stephanie Ann Malley	Patricia Jo Wilson
*§ Kimberly Ilyse Malmad	Alissa Renee Esposito Young
Rocco Mansueto	Kimberly Young-McCants
Mark W. Mason	Kelly Ann Zimmerman

### *Master of Science*

Heather Michelle Bubnick	*◇ Molly Ann Burke McCarthy
* Joseph Stephen Collura	Debra Frances McGivney
◦ Christine Marie Cook	◦ Cedric Wayne McMickle
* Charles Joseph Corsillo	◦ Jonathan Thomas McPharlin
*§ Gretchen Lee Davis	Thomas Donald Muellauer
R. Alex Fajardo	* Augustus Pingree Stager
Pao-yin Fan	Aaron D. Stehle
◦ Anna Mary Figura	◦ Stacey Ann Ward
*◇ Rebecca Annette Forrest	*§ Karl John West
* Karolina Fucikova	◦ Ping Yang
◦ Michael Vincent Hirt	*§ Sarah Katherine Yoshimura
◦ Michael Edward Jorgensen	

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## **THE SILVER CIRCLE**

The Silver Circle is composed of those dedicated members of the John Carroll University faculty and staff who have served the university community for 25 or more years. This year's inductees are:

Kathleen J. DiFranco  
Valerie R. Flechtner, Ph.D.  
Thomas E. Kelly, Ph.D.  
Barbara L. Mahoney  
Rosalie A. Massey

Hackler Kyle Mattson  
Patricia E. Michalak  
Rev. Gerald Sabo, S.J.  
Allen L. Schmittel

## **DISTINGUISHED FACULTY AWARD**

The Distinguished Faculty Award is presented each year to a member of the faculty selected by a committee of faculty, students, administrators, and alumni for excellence in classroom teaching, scholarship, advisement and leadership of students, together with participation in civic and community affairs. The recipient of the award this year is:

Christopher M. Faiver, Ph.D.

## **THE GEORGE E. GRAUEL FACULTY FELLOWSHIPS**

Faculty fellowships for professional development are awarded each year in memory of the late Dr. George E. Grauel, member of the faculty and administration of John Carroll University, 1933-67. The fellowships are awarded for 2006-2007 to:

Dr. Carl D. Anthony, Ph.D.  
Dr. Denise D. Ben-Porath, Ph.D.  
Dr. A. Roy Day, Ph.D.  
Dr. Valerie R. Flechtner, Ph.D.  
Dr. Katherine M. Gatto, Ph.D.  
Dr. Steven Hayward, Ph.D.

Dr. K. Julia Karolle-Berg, Ph.D.  
Dr. Peter J. Kvidera, Ph.D.  
Dr. Maria N. Marsilli, Ph.D.  
Dr. Daniel W. Palmer, Ph.D.  
Dr. Dianna E. Taylor, Ph.D.  
Dr. Charles A. Watts, Ph.D.

## **THE BEAUDRY AWARD**

In honor of the late Robert Beaudry of the Class of 1950 a plaque is annually awarded to the senior student who has contributed most significantly in the areas of academic achievement, Christian life, leadership, and service to the university or civic community during the preceding school year. The recipient of the award this year is:

Douglas Adam Phillips

## ALUMNI MEDAL AWARDS

*Presented by*  
Paul Hulseman  
*Class of 1982*

Alumni Medals, the highest award of the John Carroll University Alumni Association, are presented annually to alumni and others who have, through the distinguished conduct of their lives, either brought extraordinary credit to the university or contributed conscientious service to the Alumni Association, or both. The recipients of the award this year are:

Donald R. Coburn, M.D.  
*Class of 1943*

Donald Coburn '43 was known as a "doctor's doctor" during his 40 years of practicing medicine. After accelerating through John Carroll, Don completed an efficient medical education at the Jesuit's St. Louis University in 1945; practiced as a doctor in the Army for the next four years, and then gathered additional medical knowledge at the University of Pennsylvania. There was a residency at the Cleveland Clinic and a stint at Mercy Hospital in Canton, after which the doctor locked into a long, productive run as a thoracic surgeon at Euclid General Hospital. Dr. Coburn was a consummately dedicated physician whose sterling reputation endures 20 years after his retirement. One exotic dimension of this steady and marvelously productive workaholic is that, every day, for close to 30 years he rose before dawn; rode his ancient bicycle 12 miles to the hospital; rode back to the Heights at day's end — much of the time after dark; and did it again for thousands upon thousands of next days. The bike has been upgraded and if you look carefully you can still see Don, in all weather, peddling to the supermarket or on other errands to which Elaine, the mother of their seven children has assigned him. Don has passed on his passion for biking to those seven children, five of whom graduated from the neighborhood university, as he has passed on his passion for Cape Cod, and for being a servant leader in one's community, parish, family, university. Dr. Don has been a profoundly valuable presence in all those contexts. For his exemplary service to so many for so long, John Carroll is pleased to present Dr. Donald Coburn with the Alumni Medal.

Salvatore R. Felice  
*Class of 1957*

Fortunately for the university there would be a myriad of candidates for the following hypothetical distinction, but if there should be an effort to select *the* most loving and devoted son of John Carroll, the contest would be a fraud were the name of Salvatore R. Felice '57 not given deep consideration. For starters, Sal, who won the Silver Quill for best class columnist 12 years ago, as well as the Alumni Service Medal, has long been the point person for the Class of 1957. He's chaired their last three reunions. He was a member of the Alumni Association Leadership Council and of the Parents Advisory Council. He has been a passionate advocate for mini-reunions and has successfully engineered several. He is the vigorous chair of the endowed scholarship fund of his class. Vigorous is one adjective that works, warm-hearted is another. Col. (Ret.) Salvatore Felice is as vigorous and warm-hearted and competent a man for others as anyone his friends at John Carroll know. For almost three decades he was a distinguished military officer. He served as a notable leader of Cleveland's transit system for more than three decades. He has played key roles as a volunteer in his parish and his community. He and his beloved Rose, are the nurturing parents of six and the grandparents of 14. Sal Felice is, in short, a very good man, who has served so many so well for so long. For all he has done and all that he is John Carroll is pleased to award Sal Felice the Alumni Medal.



Paul Kantz, Jr.

*Class of 1963*

John Breen '56, the former chair of the university board and an Alumni Medal winner in 2005, said on the occasion of the retirement of Paul Kantz, Jr., in 1999: "Of all the development people with whom I've worked at various organizations, Paul Kantz was the most effective." It would not be difficult to gather a large squadron of corporate, civic and educational leaders who would attest to the truth of that assertion. Paul Kantz was a rock at his alma mater for a long time. He was a valuable staff member for a dozen years before he became vice president for development in 1981, but when he moved into that office, he became a pillar. He led John Carroll through four capital campaigns, each of which had a satisfying outcome. He led the team that raised over \$100 million overall during his watch, and, thus, became one of the creators of contemporary John Carroll. He was a boss who expected and exhibited attention to detail as well as a determination to see that tasks for the university were done well. He was also a deeply compassionate leader who daily illuminated what it takes to be a 'man for others.' After Paul and Kay, the mother of their four sons, migrated to Florida following the vice president's retirement, Paul's leadership and compassion found a vehicle in the management of a large Central Florida hunger center, a challenging mission that continues. Paul Kantz has been a memorable exemplar of the Jesuit commitment to service. For all he is and all he has given to his alma mater and the world, John Carroll is pleased to present him with the Alumni Medal.

Molly G. Robinson

*Class of 1975*

He who nominated Molly Robinson '75 for the honor she is about to receive, said the phrase most characteristic of this consummate volunteer is: "Yes, what can I do." That "Yes" has been a long-running surrender to the service of others. Molly was a leader of the Rochester, N.Y., alumni after she graduated. She went on to organize presidential receptions, college nights, and service activities in Baltimore, and then, when her young family found a home in Detroit, she was the stalwart of the Detroit alumni. She has been a class agent, solicited donations for class gifts, made endless Alumni-in-Admission calls, and helped create Detroit's alumni scholarship. She has co-chaired reunions and hosted picnics for a long succession of fresh John Carroll students from Detroit. She is the recipient of the association's Alumni Service Medal. Molly has been a fountain of loving attention for the people of her parish; the members of and those served by the Christ Child Society, and to all the children in her children's schools, where she apparently participated in every mother's activity and conceivable fund-raising solicitation known to Catholic schools. To retired Jesuits like Frs. Birkenhauer and Zombor at the Colombiere retirement center and to infirm friends, Molly has been a tender presence. To her four children, who include Kate '96, and to her husband, Dave, '75, Molly Robinson has been the presence of love and generosity. For all she is and has given to her university, the association is delighted to award Molly Robinson the Alumni Medal.

Rev. Joseph H. Callahan

*Class of 1979*

Joe Callahan '79 was a chemistry major at John Carroll who found a vocation to the priesthood after he graduated. Six years after ordination, Joe Callahan found a home, El Salvador, the Land of the Saviour. He joined the Cleveland Mission Team, which for more than 40 years has labored and suffered and loved (always) in the impoverished, war-torn, exhilarating and inspiring Central American nation. To see the team at work is to understand the Gospel with new eyes. To walk with Padre José Callahan among the people he loves is to become opened to the power of the shepherd as he cares for his flock. The other men and women honored tonight offer inventories of generous activities. Joe Callahan does one thing; he lives the Gospel, especially the Beatitudes, among the people of El Salvador. To see that one thing as it plays out in time is, inescapably, to be humbled. Nonetheless, for truth's sake, it should also be noted that *Padre Jose is a happy man*, as the headline of the article about him in *John Carroll* magazine read eight years ago. Joe has served longer than almost anyone in the history of the team and he has worked to continue to secure Bishop Pilla's permission to stay. To see Joe Callahan in El Salvador is to understand that his heart is utterly Salvadoran. Some years ago, Joe said: "There is greater need here, and not only that, we're enriched; we're enriched by what we experience here, and what we take home, and it forms us." For being one of John Carroll's powerful lines of connection to the reality of the Gospel, the association is pleased to award Fr. Joe Callahan its Alumni Medal.

## **BENEDICTION**

Rev. William M. Bichl, S.J., Ph.L., S.T.L.  
*Assistant Dean, College of Arts and Sciences*

## **ALMA MATER**

*Led by members of the University Chapel Choir  
Director, Cynthia Caporella, Ph.D.*

Hail to Carroll, gather near her,  
Let your joyful anthem ring;  
Sound your Mother's praise, revere her.  
Her fair name full proudly sing.  
Loyal ever, brave and true,  
Daughters, sons of Carroll U,  
Pledge our love to Alma Mater,  
To the Gold and Blue;  
Pledge our love to Alma Mater,  
To the Gold and Blue.

## **RECESSIONAL**

Music by Cleveland Lyric Brass

Honorary degree citations written by George Bilgere, Department of English



Named a “First Lady of Catholic Education” by Today’s Catholic Teacher, Sister Mary Peter Traviss, OP, PhD, will receive a doctor of humane letters honorary degree from John Carroll’s as the university’s 2006 commencement speaker. A native of California, Sister Mary Peter entered the Dominican Sisters of Mission San Jose and pronounced her final vows in 1954. Sister Mary Peter holds a PhD from Stanford University and has pursued additional graduate studies at both Harvard and Oxford universities.

Sister Mary Peter has served as a teacher, principal and the director of education for her community. She has directed workshops for faculties, parish catechists, and diocesan teachers’ institutes across the country. Sister Mary Peter’s work has taken her to Europe, Asia, Australia and South Africa. She joined the faculty of the Institute for Catholic Educational Leadership (ICEL) at the University of San Francisco in 1984; she became the director of that program in 1989. In that position, she guided numerous students to the completion of their doctoral studies.

Intent on bringing scholarly research to a broader audience, she organized a forum at the National Catholic Educational Association’s annual convention at which doctoral students could share new learnings. Seventeen years later, this forum has become a standard event at the convention. A founding member of the journal, *Catholic Education: A Journal of Inquiry and Practice*, Sister still serves as a reviewer.

From 1976-1984, Sister Mary Peter served as adjunct professor of education in the Institute for Catholic Educational Leadership. Upon her retirement from the University of San Francisco in 2005, NCEA presented her with the Elizabeth Ann Seton Award. Sister Mary Peter began a new role in 2006 as president of Queen of the Holy Rosary College, Mission San Jose in California; and she is now professor emerita at the University of San Francisco.



## THE UNIVERSITY MACE

When universities and parliaments about the world gather together in solemn assembly, the way is often led by a mace bearer carrying an ornamental short staff that is the symbol of the authority of the gathering body. The symbol's early predecessor was the Roman *fasces*, a bundle of rods bound together and carried in front of magistrates; crowds in the streets seeing the *fasces* would give way to the magistrate's authority. The medieval mace was originally a blunt weapon favored by clergy who were forbidden to use the sword. It also evolved into a symbol of authority; crowds quickly made way for anyone carrying such a symbol.

The design at the top of the University Mace derives from the coats of arms on the university seal, emblems of Ignatius Loyola, founder of the Jesuits. Surmounted by a cross, two bronze wolves on either side of a brass cauldron stand for the Loyolas. The Onaz clan, his maternal side, is signified by fourteen alternating red and gold bands of enamelled copper, set at an angle around the head of the mace. Beneath is the inscription in Latin: John Carroll University 1886. From the cross at the top to the horn button at the base the mace is 46 inches tall; it weighs 100 ounces. The main shaft of the mace is ebony in the form of a *fasces* of fourteen rods, with a slight tapering at either end. The bindings of the rods, and the head and base of the mace are all silver. A node on the base is engraved with the episcopal seal of Archbishop John Carroll, the first bishop of the United States and the eponym of the university. It depicts the Blessed Virgin with scepter and crown holding the Christ Child; thirteen stars for the thirteen states are around them, the crossed keys of St. Peter beneath, and the inscription in Latin: John, Bishop of Baltimore 1790. Inside the base is a copy of the Articles of Incorporation of the University, its charter, granted by the State of Ohio in 1890 in time to authorize the university's first degrees.

The University Mace was crafted for John Carroll by the late Solve Hallqvist, a well known local silversmith, as his last commission; it was designed by Fr. Peter Fennessy, S.J., former university marshal, and Dr. Roger Welchans, retired professor of Art History. The University Mace was a gift of the Executive Board of the John Carroll Alumni Association; it was given in memory of Fr. Michael J. Lavelle, S.J., twenty-first president of the university (1934-1995).

## THE TRADITION OF ACADEMIC COSTUME

One of the more striking aspects of academic ceremonies is the colorful dress of the participants. An understanding of the traditions determining style and color of costumes can enrich one's attendance at such events. The distinctive academic dress has its origin in the universities of the Middle Ages where cold buildings and tonsured heads made warm gowns and protective hoods a matter of necessity. Individual institutions such as Cambridge and Oxford adopted special rules governing the kind of dress that was to be permitted, and the custom was repeated throughout Europe. It is for this reason that some of the most eye-catching gowns are those mandated by European schools.

In America, the practice has been somewhat less venturesome. Although the custom of wearing distinctive attire had existed since the time of the colonial colleges, present usage seems to date from a conference held at Columbia in 1895. From that meeting came a resolution calling for the regulation by code of what was generally to be worn at academic events. That code, revised in 1932 and again in 1960, makes recommendations as to the pattern, material, color and trimmings to be used on academic gowns.

The bachelor's gown, with long pointed sleeve, is worn closed. The master's gowns, which can be worn open, have a distinct oblong sleeve with an arc cut in the front. Doctors wear the bell shaped sleeved robes which are marked with velvet facing in front and velvet bars on the sleeve. Although these gowns are all ordinarily black, in recent years there have been exceptions made in color.

Hoods for the various degrees differ in length. Bachelors wear three foot hoods; Masters, three and a half; and Doctors, four feet. They are bound by velvet or velveteen in colors which designate the wearer's area of specialization, and they are lined with the colors of the institution granting the degree. At John Carroll, the lining is blue and gold. Many institutions, however, have dispensed entirely with the bachelors' hoods. The colors associated with the more common academic disciplines are: white for Arts and Letters; drab for Business; light blue for Education; purple for Law; dark blue for Philosophy; golden yellow for Science; and scarlet for Theology.

The cap traditionally worn is the black mortar board, although the tam and the Elizabethan will be seen on some of the faculty. The tassel is most often black, Doctors frequently wear gold, and lawyers wear purple.



